# CHAPTER 192

# ISSUANCE OF CERTIFICATES TO CORPORATIONS

AN ACT providing for the issuance of new certificates to corporations by the secretary of state in all cases wherein a certificate has been issued to a corporation or purported corporation renewing its corporate existence from an erroneous date and/or for a period of time in excess of that provided by law.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. That in all cases wherein the secretary of state, of the state of Iowa, has heretofore issued to a corporation organized or 2 3 purporting to have been organized under the laws of this state a 4 certificate renewing and extending its corporate existence from an 5 erroneous date and/or for a period of time in excess of that provided by law, the secretary of state shall, upon the surrender of such cer-6 7 tificate, issue to such corporation a new certificate, extending and renewing the corporate existence thereof from the correct date and/or 8 for the period of time provided by law.
- 1 SEC. 2. Nothing in this act shall affect pending litigation.
- SEC. 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be in force from and after its publication in the West Side Journal, a newspaper published in West Side, Iowa, and in the Woodbine Twiner, a newspaper published in Woodbine, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Senate File No. 99. Approved April 2, 1931.

1 hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the West Side Journal April 9, 1931, and the Woodbine Twiner April 9, 1931.

G. C. GREENWALT, Secretary of State.

# CHAPTER 193

# MERGER OF BRIDGE CORPORATIONS

AN ACT to provide for the merger and/or consolidation of a corporation organized under the laws of this state for the purpose of constructing and operating a bridge with a corporation organized for a similar purpose in an adjacent state.

### Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. Any corporation heretofore or hereafter organized under the laws of this state for the purpose of constructing and/or 3 operating a bridge, one extremity of which shall rest in an adjacent state, may merge and/or consolidate the stock, property, rights, fran-4 chises, privileges, assets and liabilities of such corporation with the stock, property, rights, franchises, privileges, assets and liabilities of a corporation organized for a similar purpose under the laws of such adjacent state, upon such terms not in conflict with law as may 8 be mutually agreed upon, and thereafter such merged and/or consolidated corporations shall be one corporation with such name as 10 11 may be agreed upon, and shall have all of the property, rights, priv-
- 12 ileges, assets and franchises, and be subject to all of the liabilities,
- 13 of the merging or consolidating corporations.

SEC. 2. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect from and after its publication as provided by law.

House File No. 90. Approved March 2, 1931.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Charter Oak Times March 12, 1931, and the Dunlap Reporter March 5, 1931, in accordance with section 55, code 1927.

G. C. GREENWALT, Secretary of State.

#### CHAPTER 194

### EXECUTION OF STOCK CERTIFICATES

AN ACT providing for a method of execution of stock certificates, and regulating the use of facsimile signatures thereon.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. A corporation organized and existing under the laws, either general or special, of this state, may designate in its articles or by-laws the officer or officers who shall be empowered to sign stock certificates issued by the corporation. If the articles or by-laws provide for the signature of a registrar or the signature or countersignature of a transfer agent on stock certificates issued by it, the corporation may likewise provide in the articles or by-laws that in lieu of the actual signature of the officer or officers authorized to sign stock certificates, the facsimile thereof may be either engraved or printed thereon.
- SEC. 2. The fact that at the time of the actual issue or delivery of a stock certificate, the officer whose signature either actual or facsimile, appears on such stock certificate, shall prior thereto have ceased to be such officer, shall not invalidate the signature, nor such certificate.
- SEC. 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its publication in the Plain Talk, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Sioux City Journal, a newspaper published in Sioux City, Iowa.

House File No. 135. Approved March 13, 1931.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Sioux City Journal March 16, 1931, and the Des Moines Plain Talk March 19, 1931.

G. C. GREENWALT, Secretary of State.

# CHAPTER 195

# CORPORATIONS

AN ACT to repeal section eight thousand four hundred fifty-seven (8457), code, 1927, relating to corporations.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- 1 SECTION 1. That section eight thousand four hundred fifty-seven
- 2 (8457), code, 1927, is hereby repealed.

Senate File No. 105. Approved April 2, 1931.